

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Kasper KOKKONEN et al. Confirmation No.: 7370

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For: METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR FEEDING AN ANODE INTO A  
SMEILING REACTOR

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated August 24, 2007 in which claims 1-18 were subjected to restriction. The applicants provisionally elect to prosecute Group I with traverse (*i.e.*, claims 1-13). The details of the applicants' traversal is set forth below.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.